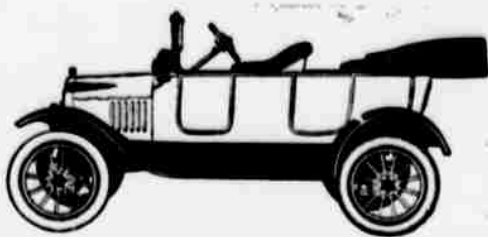


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Remember the Oregon Chautauqua will be held August 17 to 23, inclusive.
County Clerk D. B. Kunkel, wife and family motored to St. Joseph, Saturday of last week, and passed Sunday in the city with relatives.

Miss Bertha Reynolds was at home with her parents, over Sunday, from her school in St. Joseph.
Miss Gladys Ramsey, of Fillmore, is the guest of her grandparents, W. E. Simmons and wife and other relatives.

BIGELOW AND VICINITY.

The Most Important Local Events Which Have Transpired The Past Week.

(By George A. Conaway.)

—Notice the days getting shorter, Willie?

—Miss Maud Davis was a Mound City visitor, last Saturday.

—Got any kick to make on this "good old summer time weather?"

—Mrs. M. B. Williams was visiting with friends in Mound City, last Sunday.

—Allen Nottley, the latter part of last week, sold his Ford car to Geo. Combs.

—Rev. L. C. Freeman held services at the Methodist church, last Sunday evening.

—John Coughlin visited over Sunday with relatives in Silver Lake, Kansas.

—Barts Couts lost a good yearling calf, one day, last week, from bloating on clover.

—Mrs. D. E. Wilson and little daughter were Mound City visitors, one day, last week.

—Dorothy Bridgman is visiting with Grandma, Mrs. N. Fike, in Mound City, this week.

—A large crowd from here attended the revival meetings in Mound City, last Sunday evening.

—Mrs. Tom Keaster is in Salix, Iowa, this week, visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Lewis.

—Mrs. Mina Moody and Mrs. H. M. Davis were visiting with relatives in Craig, over Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dodson, of St. Joseph, visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bridgman, last Sunday.

—Had you noticed that the 4th of July is almost here, and that it is time to celebrate once more?

—Misses Julia McKee and Sarah Margaret McKee were the guests of relatives in Craig, last Saturday.

—Guy Jones received a shipment of seed corn from Tarkio, the first of the week, and will replant about 60 acres of corn.

—Miss Gertrude Walker, who is attending the State Normal school, at Maryville, visited with home folks, last Saturday and Sunday.

—Robert Asher is home from Lincoln, Neb., where he has been working on a railroad bridge gang, for a few days, visit with home folks.

—Forty-five scholars attended the Methodist Sunday school, last Sunday morning, and the collection was \$14.65; birthday offerings, 76 cents; total, \$24.41.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDonald, of Rulo, Neb., and Mr. and Mrs. R. Stewart, of Auburn, Neb., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morris, last Sunday.

—Mrs. Iva Peddycoat, who has been visiting with relatives and friends in St. Joseph and Severance, Kansas, for several days, returned home, last Saturday afternoon.

—Harmon Taylor shipped his household goods to Mt. Vernon, Mo., one day, last week, and he and his family left the latter part of the week for that point where they will make their home.

—Lot Brown and son sold the first car load of new alfalfa hay of the season to Hay King John Coughlin, the latter part of last week. Mr. Coughlin shipped the car to the Kansas City market.

—Assistant General Freight Agent for the Burlington, in St. Joseph, Mr. A. L. West, and Mr. J. R. McKillop, live stock agent for the same road, of St. Joseph, were the guests of J. E. Slater, one day, last week.

—Clyde Thompson received a shipment of seed corn by express from Winner, S. D., last week, and will replant on the Land Company land, east of the Big Ditch, where it was drowned out by the high water.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Conaway, who had been visiting with G. A. Conaway and family, for several days, returned to their home in Wathena, Kansas, the latter part of last week, Miss Ewene accompanying them for a short visit.

—Brakeman Dan Larkins changed his mind and has returned to the passenger run between Napier and Villisca. Dan is among the oldest brakemen on the line, and can bid in almost any position he may take a fancy to.

—Misses Ruth Maier, Eva Hogan, Zoe and Addie Morris and Ida Bridgman, who are attending the State Normal school, at Maryville, came home last Friday evening and visited with home folks until Sunday afternoon.

—Bob Groves, the popular hotel man, of Maitland, brought several Maitland young ladies down in his car, last Saturday afternoon, who took the train for Omaha, Neb. Bob says everything is fine and dandy in his town.

—Dorothy Cunningham, who has been visiting with his niece, Mrs. Ralph Leuse for several days, left the latter part of last week for Forest City, where he will visit a few days with friends before returning to his home in Audubon, Iowa.

—J. E. Slater left last Sunday afternoon for Minneapolis, Minn., to attend the annual meeting of the Imperial Council of Masons to be held in that city, beginning the first of the week. Mr. Slater is a representative of Moita Temple, of St. Joseph.

—The Rulo cable arrived the latter part of last week, and the boat was again placed in service last Sunday noon. With this ferry out of commission, it makes it very inconvenient for travel on both sides of the river, and, of course, everybody is glad the service has again been restored.

—R. C. Hatzwell was down from Red Oak, Iowa, several days, last week, looking after his big hay business and started a gang of men to cutting on his prairie hay. Mr. Hatzwell says the water at Red Oak was five inches higher during the late rains than known since the year, 1858.

—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bridgman and Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Solleder drove over to Graham, last Sunday morning, in the former's car, where they spent the day visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Judy, and attended the memorial services by the W. O. W. Camp at

that point at the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

—Mrs. W. L. Catron is in Sabetha, Kansas, this week, with her sister, Mrs. Will Finical, who is quite sick with a bad case of blood-poisoning, and the prospects for her recovery are doubtful. Mrs. Finical is a former Bigelow resident and has many relatives and friends in this neighborhood who hope for her speedy recovery.

—At a regular meeting of Bigelow Camp, No. 35, last Saturday evening, it was decided to meet on Thursday evenings instead of Saturday evenings.

—This will be tried out for the present at least and if the change meets the approval of the members will be made permanent. Don't forget beginning this week, it is Thursday evening.

—George Poynter has solved the problem on how to keep water out of his cellar by having a pipe driven down in the center of the cellar about 10 feet deep, this pipe being to the sewer and takes the water out of the cellar as fast as it runs in.

—This is a pretty good scheme and one that will no doubt be tried out by several more owners of cellars.

—The news item in the News-Jeffersonian, last week, about Mrs. Fred Jresham running her car into the ditch, just east of Bigelow, Wednesday evening of last week, was an error. A car ran into the ditch all right, but it happened to be another car, and on account of the fact that the lady is a good driver and this being her first accident we will not mention any names this time.

—The warm weather of the last few days is making the corn grow in good shape, and it is coming out fine. Almost all of the corn in this vicinity has been worked once and some of it twice, and the weather has been good for putting up the alfalfa, almost all of the hay being put up without getting wet. A little rain would be a good thing, if there was not too much.

—The roads are getting very dusty and a good shower would be welcome and help the growing corn and other crops.

—Messrs. Bohart and Keiffer are here, this week, from Maitland, installing a Deleo Light plant on the drag line ditching machine, recently purchased by the Little Tarkio Drainage District. This is done in order that a night shift may be worked in cleaning out the Little Tarkio ditch.

—It is reported that the work is going along in good shape and the machine is doing extra good work. With this light system in service the work can go right along by night as well as by day.

—Terhune & Young, of Mound City, last Saturday, delivered to H. M. Spillman and Charley Lease each a Titan tractor. These tractors are up-to-date in every way and will be used for all kinds of farm work. They burn coal oil and are not expensive to operate.

—Charley Lease will be the chief engineer of his tractor, and Frank Spillman will handle the Spillman machine. Messrs. Spillman and Lease are among our up-to-date farmers, and will no doubt make a success of the tractor engines on their respective farms.

—Missouri Wheat Will Be In Demand For Seed.

Missouri wheat is of especially good quality this year. This opinion was expressed at a recent cereal conference in Kansas City, which was attended by men from practically all sections of the United States. These men regard the Missouri crop as the best in the red winter wheat district of the United States. It is probable that Missouri wheat will be in demand as seed this fall, not only at home, but in surrounding states. It is likely that the wheat of the northwest part of the state will be required by adjoining sections of Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa for fall seed.

The University of Missouri College of Agriculture has taken up for the first time the certification of wheat fields. In view of the demand which in all probability will be made it is desirable that the fields which will produce pure, clean seed of good quality be known. Heretofore the state has not been organized so that the work could be done efficiently. The Agricultural Extension Service will have five or six men in the field to inspect the wheat. An examination will be made of the varietal purity, freedom from disease, freedom from weeds, and general condition of the crop. Men will be sent only to counties that have been organized and even then it will be impossible to cover more than those counties which have large areas of good wheat. The secretary of the farm bureau in cooperation with the various local secretaries of farm clubs will aid in inspecting the fields.

It is not only necessary that the best seed wheat be available for Missouri, but it is probable that other corn belt states will be in the market for seed. It is likely that the wheat which is certified will bring a higher price for seed than it will for ordinary consumption. The College of Agriculture is working with the seed stocks committee of the United States Department of Agriculture which is an emergency organization. This committee will help in placing the seed.

—Lawrence Killam, in training at the Fort Riley Officers' Camp, was here for a few days, the past week, to visit his wife and son, and other relatives.

—The Mound City Lodge, I. O. O. F., subscribed \$3,000 to the Liberty Loan. The W. O. W., of Bigelow, subscribed \$200, and the K. P.'s, of Mound City, took a \$50 bond.

—Residence Property For Sale—My residence in Forest City, consisting of two-story, eight-room house and three lots on Elm and Grand Avenue. For further information, address, W. H. Williams, 1836 West 40th Street, Route One, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

—Edgar Pullen, of this city, who enlisted in the Navy, writes to his parents that he is now in training on board the U. S. S., "Arkansas," in the port at New York, and that thus far he likes the Navy. He wants his chums to write him, care of U. S. S., "Arkansas," Box No. 1, New York.

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Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of William Kuhler, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 11th day of June, 1917, by the Probate Court of Holt county, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the last insertion of this notice, they shall be forever barred.

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